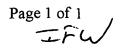


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- A copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers;
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- 3. Ten (10) sheets of formal drawings to be substituted for the ten (10) sheets of informal drawings filed with the above-identified patent application.

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